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In re Application of :
Alex E. Henderson, et al. :
Application No. 10/005,596 :
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 23, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed October 2, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned at midnight on January 2, 2004.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3229.

The application matter is being referred to Technology Center 2600, Art Unit 2667 for further processing.

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